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WHITE HOUSE - FOR DR. BRZEZINSKI

FOLLOWING REPEAT PARIS 13192 SENT ACTION SECSTATE 04 MAY 77

QUOTE S E C R E T PARIS 13192

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EYES ONLY FOR TARNOFF AND HARTMAN FROM HOLBROOKE

E.O.11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: PFOR FR US MNUC

SUBJ: FRANCOIS-PONCET VIEWS OF SUMMIT

IN A DISCUSSION WITH FRANCOIS-PONCET THIS AFTERNOON,  
MOST OF WHICH WAS REVIEW OF FRENCH AND AMERICAN  
RELATIONS WITH THE VIETNAMESE, WE DISCUSSED BRIEFLY  
UPCOMING SUMMIT. FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS FOR YOU TO  
DISTRIBUTE ONWARD AS YOU SEE FIT:

HE SAID THAT GISCARD IS "PERHAPS ONLY ONE OF  
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OTHER LEADERS" GOING TO LONDON WHO HAS REAL SYMPATHY  
FOR PRESIDENT CARTER'S VIEWS ON NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION.  
HE SAID THAT HE FELT THAT ISSUE OF EXPORTING  
NUCLEAR REPROCESSING TECHNOLOGY COULD BE RESOLVED IN A  
WAY THAT WOULD SATISFY US. HOWEVER, US POSITION ON  
REPROCESSING AND ON NUCLEAR TESTS POSES SERIOUS  
PROBLEMS FOR GISCARD.

HE THOUGHT THAT THE TWO PRESIDENTS WOULD GET  
ALONG VERY WELL. THEY WERE BOTH MEN WHO LIKE TO GET  
RIGHT DOWN TO BUSINESS. HE EXPRESSED INTEREST IN WHO  
WOULD SIT IN ON BILATERAL TALKS; I SAID THAT I DID NOT  
KNOW.

HE EXPRESSED PLEASURE AT THE APPOINTMENT OF OUR  
NEW AMBASSADOR, SAYING THAT WHILE HE DID NOT KNOW HIM  
WELL, HE UNDERSTOOD THAT HE WAS A THOROUGH AND  
EXCELLENT PROFESSIONAL.  
GAMMON

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